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Your Reference: 10/024,628
Our Reference: 6580-234

December 30, 2002

The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
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Attention: Licensing and Review

Dear Sir or Madam:

Re: NOTICE REQUIRING STATEMENT UNDER 42 U.S.C. 2182
United States Patent Application No. 10/024,628
Entitled: Method of Detecting and Reducing Boar Taint
Inventors: E. James Squires, Jakub Babol, Kerstin Lundstrom
Filing Date: November 23, 2001

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This letter is in response to the Decision on Request for Reconsideration mailed July 22, 2002 and the Notice under 42 U.S.C. 2182 mailed April 29, 2002.

Pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 2182, please find enclosed statements, executed by the Applicants for the above-identified patent application and in the form of a declaration as provided by 37 CFR 1.68, setting forth (1) the full facts concerning the circumstances under which the present invention was made and conceived and (2) the relationship (if any) of the present invention to the performance of any work under any contract or other arrangement with the Department of Energy (DOE).

The Applicants submit that the enclosed forms satisfy the requirements of 42 U.S.C. 2182 and early indication of this is respectfully requested.

Please notify us if we need to take any additional action in response to the Notice under 42 U.S.C. 2182 is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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STATEMENT

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Declare:

That I made and conceived the invention described and claimed in patent application:

Serial Number 10/024,628 filed in the United States of America on November 23, 2001

titled Method of Detecting and Reducing Boar Taint

(Check and complete either I or II below)

☒ I. *(For inventors Employed by an Organization)* That I made and conceived this invention while employed by the Swedish University of Agriculture Sciences in an arrangement with the University of Guelph. That the invention is related to the work I was employed to perform and was made within the scope of my employment duties; That the invention was made during working hours and with the use of facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services of the University of Guelph. Other relevant facts are _____

_____. That to the best of our knowledge and belief (and/or) based upon information provided by _____ of _____

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☐ II. *(For Self-Employed Inventors)* That we made and conceived this invention on our time using only our own facilities, equipment, materials, funds, information and services. Other relevant facts are _____

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- AND/OR -

☒ IV. The invention was not made (conceived or first actually reduced to practice) under nor is there any relationship of the invention to the performance of any work under any contract of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

The undersigned inventor declares further that all statements made herein of their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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